



## Notice

### **City Commission Organizational Meeting 7:00 pm**

Monday, November 11, 2013  
Commission Chambers, Governmental Center, 400 Boardman Avenue  
Traverse City, MI 49684  
Posted and Published: 11-08-13

Meeting informational packet is available for public inspection at the Traverse Area District Library, City Police Station, City Manager's Office and City Clerk's Office.

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*The mission of the Traverse City City Commission is to guide the preservation and development of the City's infrastructure, services, and planning based on extensive participation by its citizens coupled with the expertise of the city's staff. The Commission will both lead and serve Traverse City in developing a vision for sustainability and the future that is rooted in the hopes and input of its citizens and organizations, as well as cooperation from surrounding units of government.*

## **Welcome to the Traverse City Commission Organizational Meeting!**

### **Agenda**

Any interested person or group may address the City Commission on any agenda item when recognized by the presiding officer or upon request of any Commissioner. Also, any interested person or group may address the City Commission on any matter of City concern during Public Comment. The comment of any member of the public or any special interest group may be limited in time. Such limitation shall not be less than five minutes unless otherwise explained by the presiding officer.

#### City Clerk Benjamin Marentette Presiding

#### Pledge of Allegiance

City Clerk Benjamin Marentette administers the Oath of Office of City Commissioner to Gary Howe.

City Clerk Benjamin Marentette administers the Oath of Office of City Commissioner to Ross Richardson.

City Clerk Benjamin Marentette administers the Oath of Office of City Commissioner to Tim Werner.

City Clerk Benjamin Marentette administers the Oath of Office of Mayor to Michael Estes.

City Clerk Benjamin Marentette turns the gavel and meeting over to newly-elected and sworn in Mayor Michael Estes.

Mayor Michael Estes Presiding

Roll Call.

1. Selection of the Mayor Pro Tem from the membership of the City Commission to serve until November 10, 2014. (Mayor Michael Estes, Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
2. Consideration of appointment by the City Commission of two of its members to the City Planning Commission. (Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
3. Consideration of appointment by the Mayor with approval of the City Commission of an administrative official to the City Planning Commission. (Mayor Michael Estes, Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
4. Consideration of appointment by the Mayor with approval of the City Commission of four citizen members to the City Planning Commission. (Mayor Michael Estes, Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
5. Consideration of appointment by the Mayor with approval of the City Commission of one of the Commission members to the Grand Traverse County Township Association. (Mayor Michael Estes, Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
6. Consideration of appointment by the Mayor with approval of the City Commission and Grand Traverse County Board of one of the Commission members to the Grand Traverse County Department of Public Works Board. (Mayor Michael Estes, Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
7. Consideration of appointment by the City Commission of two of its members to the Traverse City Light and Power Board. (Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)

8. Consideration of appointment by the City Commission of one of its members to serve on the Grand Traverse County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, with approval of the Grand Traverse County Board. (Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
9. Consideration of appointment by the City Commission of one of its members as a Regular Member and one of its members as an Alternate Member on the Next Michigan Development Corporation Board. (Jered Ottenwess, Benjamin Marentette)
10. Announcements from the City Clerk. (Benjamin Marentette)
11. Public Comment.

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